## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF PUERTO RICO

In re:	PROMESA
	Title III
THE FINANCIAL OVERSIGHT AND	No. 17 BK 3283-LTS
MANAGEMENT BOARD FOR PUERTO RICO,	
	(Jointly Administered)
as representative of	
THE COMMONWEALTH OF PUERTO RICO, et al.,	
Debtors. <sup>1</sup>	

ORDER GRANTING SECOND INTERIM FEE APPLICATION OF CONTINENTAL PLLC AS SPECIAL LITIGATION COUNSEL TO OFFICIAL COMMITTEE OF UNSECURED CREDITORS, FOR SERVICES RENDERED AND REIMBURSEMENT OF EXPENSES FOR THE PERIOD FROM JUNE 1, 2022 THROUGH SEPTEMBER 30, 2022

Upon consideration of the Second Interim Fee Application (the "Second Interim Application")<sup>2</sup> of Continental PLLC ("Continental"), as special litigation counsel to the Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors of all Title III Debtors (the "Committee")<sup>3</sup>, for an order pursuant to sections 316 and 317 of PROMESA, section 503(b) of the Bankruptcy Code made applicable to these cases by section 301(a) of PROMESA, Bankruptcy Rule 2016, and Local Rule 2016-1, for allowance of compensation and reimbursement of expenses for the period from June

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The Debtors in these Title III cases, along with each Debtor's respective Title III case number listed as a bankruptcy case number due to software limitations and the last four (4) digits of each Debtor's federal tax identification number, as applicable, are the (i) Commonwealth of Puerto Rico (Bankruptcy Case No. 17-BK-3283 (LTS)) (Last Four Digits of Federal Tax ID: 3481), (ii) Employees Retirement System of the Government of the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico ("ERS") (Bankruptcy Case No. 17-BK-3566 (LTS)) (Last Four Digits of Federal Tax ID: 9686), (iii) Puerto Rico Highways and Transportation Authority ("HTA") (Bankruptcy Case No. 17-BK-3567 (LTS)) (Last Four Digits of Federal Tax ID: 3808), (iv) Puerto Rico Sales Tax Financing Corporation ("COFINA") (Bankruptcy Case No. 17-BK-3284 (LTS)) (Last Four Digits of Federal Tax ID: 8474); (v) Puerto Rico Electric Power Authority ("PREPA") (Bankruptcy Case No. 17-BK-4780) (Last Four Digits of Federal Tax ID: 3747); and (vi) Puerto Rico Public Buildings Authority ("PBA") (Bankruptcy Case No. 19-BK-5523 (LTS)) (Last Four Digits of Federal Tax ID: 3801). (Title III case numbers are listed as Bankruptcy Case numbers due to software limitations).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Capitalized terms not defined shall have the meanings ascribed to them in the Second Interim Application.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> The Committee is the official committee of unsecured creditors for all Title III Debtors, other than PBA and COFINA.

- 1, 2022 through September 30, 2022, the Court hereby FINDS AND DETERMINES that (i) the Court has jurisdiction to consider the Second Interim Application and the relief requested therein pursuant to section 306(a) of PROMESA; (ii) venue is proper before this Court pursuant to section 307(a) of PROMESA; (iii) due and proper notice of the Second Interim Application has been provided under the particular circumstances and no other or further notice need be provided; (iv) any objections to the Second Interim Application having been resolved; (v) all persons with standing having been afforded the opportunity to be heard on the Second Interim Application; and after due deliberation and sufficient cause appearing therefor, it is hereby **ORDERED THAT:** 
  - 1. The Second Interim Application is granted on an interim basis.
- 2. Continental's claim for fees and expenses for services rendered during the Application Period and reimbursement for actual and necessary expenses incurred during the Application Period are hereby allowed in the amounts of \$273,196.00 and \$1,813.58, respectively.
- 3. To the extent the amounts described in paragraph 2 hereof have not already been paid pursuant to the Interim Compensation Order, (a) the Debtors are directed to pay Continental the outstanding fees in the amount of \$21,855.68 which represents 100% of the fees requested within fourteen days of the date of this Order, and any such payment shall be made net of any payments made by the Debtors pursuant to the Interim Compensation Order, withholding or other applicable taxes, and (b) the Debtors are directed to reimburse Continental for its outstanding expenses in the amount of \$0.00, which represents 100% of the expenses requested within fourteen days of the date of this Order.
- 4. This Court shall retain jurisdiction to hear and determine all matters arising from the implementation of this Order.
  - 5. Continental is authorized and empowered to take all necessary actions to implement

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the relief granted in this Order.

6. Notwithstanding the possible applicability of Bankruptcy Rules 6006(d), 7062,

9014, or otherwise, the terms and conditions of this Order shall be immediately effective and

enforceable upon its entry.

7. All time periods set forth in this Order shall be calculated in accordance with

Bankruptcy Rule 9006(a).

HON. LAURA TAYLOR SWAIN UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE